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COUNTY TO ASSIST APPLICANTS FOR ENERGY ASSISTANCE

SAN BERNARDINO—First District San Bernardino County Supervisor Bill Postmus announced today that San Bernardino County Officials will be available at three different locations to assist qualified applicants for assistance with home energy costs. The officials will help applicants in determining their eligibility and filling out required paperwork.

Below are the times and locations for the next three Energy Assistance Outreach programs:

HESPERIA April 16, 2001, 9AM - 3PM

Rick Novak Community Center 13558 Palm Street, Hesperia

BARSTOW April 20, 2001, 9AM - 2PM

Dana Park Building 850 Barstow Road

PHELAN May 14, 2001, 9AM - 2PM

Phelan Senior Center 9463 Sheep Creek Road

Staff from the Office of Supervisor Postmus will be joined by representatives from the County Departments of Community Services, Aging and Adult Services, and Economic and Community Development. These departments offer programs that can provide temporary and limited assistance to those who qualify based on income, residency and other factors. Programs range from one-time utility bill assistance to home weatherization. The Outreaches provide a "one-stop" setting to inquire about and apply for services. More than 500 people have received assistance after applying through outreaches that have been held in Victorville, Needles and Joshua Tree.

For more information call Supervisor Postmus' Office at (760) 843-2760.